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## FREE TUITION IN HIGH SCHOOL

To All Pupils Prepared to  
Enter City High School  
From County Schools.

## NEW CATALOGUE FREE.

A Secondary Education Offer-  
ed Free to the Boys and  
Girls of This County.

A new catalogue of the Hopkins-  
ville High School, is just out. Some-  
thing will create most universal  
interest is the announcement  
of free tuition to all county  
pupils who are prepared to enter the  
High School. This is made possible  
under a new provision of the new  
school law which empowers the  
County Board to contract with the  
City Board for the use of the City  
High School as a Christian County  
High School.

The management of the High

School is making every preparation  
necessary for the reception of a large  
quota of pupils from the county.  
They will be given a generous wel-  
come by the people of the city, the  
faculty and the student body. The  
young men and women who will  
come to the High School from the  
county will be made to feel that the  
Hopkinsville High School is their  
school, in which they may share  
with the sons and daughters of Hop-  
kinsville citizens the advantages  
of an education sufficiently liberal to  
prepare them, first of all for life,  
and then for the college and univer-  
sity.

Do the people of Christian county  
realize what a free High School edu-  
cation means for her sons and  
daughters, her future citizenship  
and for her material progress and  
prosperity? Aside from the estab-  
lishment of the free common  
schools, no institution since Magna  
Charta means as much for the eman-  
cipation of the people as the estab-  
lishment of the County High School.  
The Hopkinsville High School an-  
nounces in its new catalog, issued  
for the benefit of the pupils from  
the county, the following courses:  
College Preparatory Classical and  
Scientific; a general English course,  
including the option of one foreign  
language and four years in Science;  
and a special Business Course cov-  
ering two full years, which also offers

the option of a Modern Language  
and two years in practical science.  
Regardless of the size and wealth of  
the city the Hopkinsville High  
School's laboratories for Chemistry,  
Physics and Biology are as well  
equipped as any in Kentucky. The  
faculty is composed of men and  
women who are experts in their de-  
partments, and who are graduates  
of the best colleges and universities.  
Graduates of the first institution  
take first rank in the industrial and  
commercial world and advanced  
standing in the big colleges and uni-  
versities.

The aim and motto of the Hop-  
kinsville High School is making out  
of Christian county boys and girls  
men and women of sterling charac-  
ter for service in the world. The  
next session opens September 6.  
The tuition is free to boys and girls  
of Hopkinsville and Christian coun-  
ty.

Superintendent Barksdale Ham-  
let will be glad to send catalog and  
other information to those expecting  
to take a High School education.

## EYES ON BANKER

As The Republican Nominee  
For State Senator.

Chairman A. H. Anderson, of the  
Republican district committee, has  
called a senatorial convention to  
meet at Madisonville next Monday  
to nominate a candidate for Senator  
against R. M. Salmon, the nominee.  
It is reported upon good authority  
that Mr. E. B. Long, President of  
the City Bank of this city, will be  
the nominee without opposition. It  
is the time for Christian county to  
name the candidate and unless he  
declines the honor Mr. Long will be  
named for the place. The Demo-  
crats carried the district four years  
ago and are confident of their ability  
to elect Mr. Salmon as Senator  
Frank Rives' successor.

## TAKING ASSESSMENT

For 1909 Was Begun Yester-  
day by Assessor Brown.

The regular assessment of county  
property for 1909 began yesterday,  
September 1st. The vacancy in the  
office of assessor caused by the  
recent death of H. C. Helsley has  
been filled by the appointment of J.  
G. Brown, who will be assisted by  
several deputies.

Stephen Everett, who has been  
deputy under several assessors, will  
have charge of the office work, as-  
sisted by his wife.

## CUPID SMILES ON WINNERS

Kentuckian Contests Are  
Always Followed by  
Weddings.

## HYMEN CLAIMS THEM.

Three of the Four Winners  
in 1907 Married in  
18 Months.

In 1903 the Kentuckian's first big  
popularity contest was won by a  
young lady who became a bride in-  
side of two years.

Two years ago the Kentuckian  
sent four young ladies to the James-  
town exposition as winners in a pop-  
ularity contest. The prediction was  
made that all of them would be mar-  
ried inside of two years.

True to the prediction two were  
married in a few months, another in  
one year and the other still has a  
small margin left.

The Kentuckian's popularity con-  
tests invariably find husbands for the  
young ladies who win them. That  
this rule is going to govern the pres-  
ent contest is already shown by the  
fact that one of the contestants has  
been married before the fight was  
over.

Last Friday Miss May Henry Shel-  
ton, of District No. 3, became Mrs.  
Lucian Maddux, and has moved into  
District No. 2, forfeiting 3,200 votes  
by changing her residence. She can  
of course receive votes under her  
new name and in her new district,  
losing only the votes already count-  
ed in another district.

This time there are to be six win-  
ners and six romances are expected  
to end in happy weddings before  
Sept. 11, 1912. Who the prospective  
brides will be will be determined by  
the votes cast and to be cast up to  
Sept. 11, 1909.

The only new feature in to-days'  
count is the entrance of Miss Vir-  
ginia Barker in district No. 3 with  
a start of 600 votes.

The figures given below show how  
the various candidates are running  
up to the present time:

### District No. 1.

Miss Flora Harris, R.F.D. 5.....2185  
" Virginia Butler, R.F.D. 2...1385  
" Ethel Brown, Crofton.....685  
" Maude Brasher, Crofton.....410  
" Augusta Bryant Cerulean 1...200

### District No. 2.

Miss Maude Dawson, Herndon...8835  
" Lyda May Cary, R. R. 7. 6000  
" Elizabeth Nance, Herndon,  
R. 1 (Pee Dee).....3545  
" Mary Nuckols.....765

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THE PARTICULAR  
CAKE MAKERS.

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Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

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Nice Line Pure Linen Lace and In-  
serting for 3 1-2c yard.

Imitation Linen Lace and Inserting  
for 3 1-2c yard.

Small lot Hamburg Edging and In-  
serting at 3 1-2c yard.

If You Want Your Money to Last  
Buy Your Goods from

T. M. JONES,

Main Street.

Hopkinsville, Ky.

## Interest

Is the greatest incentive to-  
wards saving money.

When you find your money is  
earning something you feel  
more like saving.

Interest, like a much adver-  
tised remedy, "works while  
you sleep."

We pay 3 per cent. interest on  
certificates of deposit for 6  
or 12 months' time.

Absolute safety, liberality and  
courtesy our watch-word.

## The Bank of Hopkinsville

Hopkinsville :::: Ky.

## Your Attention

is called to the fact that we have established a  
large trade on seeds.

## WHY?

Because we sell the best, carefully selected, well  
cleaned and tested for germinating qualities.

Be convinced by letting us show you our stock of  
**Timothy, Red Top, Crimson Clover,  
Rye Oats, Alfalfa, Red Clover, Pure  
Fultz Seed Wheat.**

Do not delay looking into this important matter  
of pure seeds.

Remember that we are headquarters for  
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THAT BIND YOU**  
to poverty and discomfort and that  
will lead you to an old age of de-  
pendence and penury by starting an  
account in a good savings bank. In  
your youth and manhood prepare  
for the decrepitude of the years  
when you are going down the hill by  
saving a competence in the Commer-  
cial and Savings Bank.

We Pay 3 per cent. on  
Savings Accounts.

**Commercial & Savings Bank.**

### MIGHT AS WELL

buy blackened stone as some so-  
called coal—it would burn about as  
well. As long as you pay out your  
good money you "might as well"  
have our good coal. The price is  
the same and you get solid coal  
value for it. Try a ton of Rose  
Creek Coal and if it is not a clear,  
hot burner we will take it back and  
not say a word.

**BUCKNER & WEST.**  
PHONES: Cumb 76, Home 1544.

### BULLET IN BRAIN

Body of Vassie Nabb, Miss-  
ing Since Saturday.

Princeton, Ky., Aug. 30.—Vassie  
Nabb, a young man, about thirty  
years of age, was found dead this  
morning in the Hopson section with  
a bullet hole through his head and a

pistol by his side. He has been  
missing since Saturday.

The body was found in a small  
path, and it is supposed that the  
young man ended his life. He was a  
son of John Y. Nabb, of near Hop-  
son, and had been in Oklahoma for  
some time until about six weeks ago,  
when he came home for a visit.  
Coroner Baker will hold an inquest.

